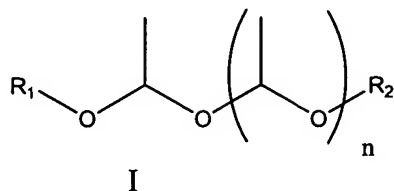


ABSTRACT

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wherein R_1 and R_2 are selected such that both are $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, or both are linear, branched or cyclic alkyl, aryl, alcohol or sugar residues, and $n=1-10$, with the proviso that, when R_1 and R_2 are selected such that both are $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $n=1, 2, 3$ or 4 .

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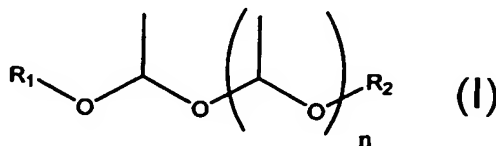
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